

## JONES' MAJORITY SEVENTEEN HUNDRED

Twelve Counties and the District's  
Two Cities Carried by  
Congressman.

### MUCH GRATIFIED BY THE RESULT

Successful Candidate Says He Appreciates Support Given Him by Newport News and Hampton—Democrats of Bruton Precinct, York County, Forgot to Hold Primay.

(TELEGRAM.)

Washington, D. C., June 18.  
Daily Press.

Newport News, Va.  
Replying to your request will say the result of the congressional primary is naturally most gratifying to me.

The vote was very light in most places, but the flattering endorsement given me in all the counties heard from in the old part of the district, other than Northampton, the home of Mr. Mears, is especially pleasing to me.

I appreciate too, most highly, the generous majorities given me in Hampton and Newport News, to most of whose good Democrats I am personally unknown.

This nomination is of course equivalent to an election.

W. A. JONES.

Spottsylvania is the only county in the first district from which an authoritative estimate of the result of Saturday's congressional primary has not been received. With this one county to be heard from, Hon. Wm. A. Jones has a conservatively estimated majority of 1,130 over his opponent, Hon. Otto F. Mears.

It is expected that Spottsylvania will give Mr. Jones a majority of more than 200, so the majority for the entire district, embracing sixteen counties and the cities of Newport News and Fredericksburg, may be placed at about 1,700.

Asleep in Bruton Precinct.  
An illustration of the surprising lack of interest on the part of the people of this precinct in the selection of a Democratic nominee for congress is found in the fact that the Democrats of Bruton precinct, York county, forgot to hold a primary. A statement from the York county chairman gives the information that Mr. Mears carried the county by a majority of 11, but the vote in detail is not known.

Table of Returns.  
The result of the primary, as nearly complete as it is possible to make it at this time, is given in the following table:

County	Jones	Mears	Majority
Newport News	326	212	114
Warwick	18	61	43
Elizabeth City	270	304	34
York	...	...	11*
Accomac	775*	725*	50*
Northampton	34	1,040	1,006
Fredericksburg	203	57	146
Mathews	282	72	210
Essex	219	13	206
Richmond	213	10	203
Lancaster	403	153	250
Northumberland	296	53	243
Westmoreland	214	42	172
Caroline	271*	71*	200*
Middlesex	276	21	255
Gloucester	281	22	259
King & Queen	290*	6*	194*
Totals	4,311	2,870	1,441

Jones' majority, estimated, with Spottsylvania to be heard from—1,430.  
\*Estimated.

A Western Wonder.  
There's a hill at Boonville, Tex., that's twice as big as last year. This wonder is W. L. Hill, who from a weight of 90 pounds has grown to over 180. He says: "I suffered with a terrible cough, and doctors gave me up to die of Consumption. I was reduced to 90 pounds, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Now, after taking 12 bottles, I have more than doubled in weight and am completely cured." Only sure Cough and Cold cure. Guaranteed by W. Blair Langhorne, druggist, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.



MRS. LOUIS LACOMB.

## SUFFERED FOR MONTHS.

Operation Advocated—Saved By Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. Louis LaComb, Hayward, Wis., writes:

"I have followed your treatment as closely as I could and am now entirely well."

"We had two doctors and one said that I would have to have an operation performed before I could regain my health."

"We then decided to write you as to my condition, as I had been suffering nearly a year with severe pains and headaches at times so that I could scarcely stand up."

"Now I feel so well after a short treatment with your remedy, and am so grateful that I do not know how to express my thanks."

"I thank you many times for the kind advice I have had from you."

Write to Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio, for free medical advice.

## MAMMOTH CAVE FOUND

Workmen in Hills of Tennessee  
Make Remarkable Discovery.

## FISH IN UNDERGROUND RIVER

Waterway Is Large Enough to Accommodate Motor Boats—Indian Relics and Strange Looking Idols Unearthed in the Cavern.

(By Associated Press.)

KNOXVILLE, TENN., June 18.—A mammoth cave, extending miles in length and of irregular width, has been accidentally discovered near the town of Jellico, on the Kentucky border.

The Jellico Water Company had a number of men at work near the top of Pine Mountain, excavating at the spring which flows from the side of the mountain. In following the chasm they cut into a wide cavern, and a large stream which is teeming with fish.

The cave extends along the center of the mountain, south of Elk Valley, for nine miles, and in many places is very large under beautiful pillars. A number of Indian relics and bones of beasts that are now extinct, were found.

Many peculiar shaped stones, like images of gods or idols, have also been brought out. The exploration is still going on, and will be pushed forward until the end of the cave is found.

Motor boats can be operated successfully for miles up and down the subterranean waterway.

### FINED FIFTY DOLLARS.

Negro Pays Penalty For Selling Liquor Without License.

Richard Brooks, a negro, was fined \$50 and costs in the police court yesterday morning for selling liquor without license.

Brooks was arrested Sunday by Detective Sergeant Woodward, at 2403 Jefferson avenue.

Captain James G. Smith Dead.  
Captain James G. Smith, who was for a number of years port captain for Furness, Withy & Company here, died yesterday morning at his home, Haldorpe, Baltimore county, Md.

He is survived by seven children. Mrs. J. K. Davis and Miss Eva Smith, of Baltimore; J. G. Smith, Jr., George G. Smith and R. Smith, of Baltimore; J. W. and H. S. Smith, of this city.

### New Cure for Epilepsy.

J. P. Waterman, of Watertown, O., Rural free delivery, writes: "My daughter, afflicted for years with epilepsy, was cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. She has not had an attack for over two years." Best body cleansers and life giving tonic pills on earth. 25c at W. Blair Langhorne's drug store.

## JAMESTOWN'S FINE RUN

New Steamer Exceeded Contract Speed With Ease.

## TRIAL OVER COURSE ON BAY

Average Speed of 19.2 Miles Was Maintained Throughout Test and For Thirteen Miles the Vessel Went at Rate of 19.93.

On her speed trial held yesterday over a thirteen mile course laid out in Chesapeake Bay between Thimble Shoal light and Cape Henry light, the Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Company's new fire proof side-wheel steamer Jamestown, a product of the local shipyard, exceeded her contract requirements of 18 statute miles an hour, by 1.2 miles.

The steamer's performance was highly gratifying to the shipyard officials and in every way satisfactory to Mr. John Callahan, vice-president and general manager of the steamboat company, who represented his company on board the vessel during the trial.

With Captain W. G. Melvin as skipper and manned by a crew of shipyard mechanics, the Jamestown left the shipyard about 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning and proceeded to Old Point, where a stop was made in order that Captain Hand, of Philadelphia, could adjust her compass. After the compasses had been put in order the Jamestown started for the trial course.

With great volumes of black smoke pouring out of her stack and spray dashing over her bows the Jamestown dashed across the starting line at Thimble Shoal light and just 10 minutes later she passed Cape Henry light, having covered the course at the rate of 19.93 miles an hour.

Running past Cape Henry the Jamestown's prow was turned about and she started back to the course for the second and final run. Owing to the direction and velocity of the wind the Jamestown was unable to make so fast speed on the second run as she did on the first, but even under adverse circumstances she averaged 18.60 miles an hour on the last run, her final average of the two runs being 19.2 miles an hour. After the speed test was concluded the steamer was put through the usual manoeuvres acquitting herself with credit.

After fulfilling all of her contract requirements the steamer started back to the shipyard, arriving there about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The following officials of the Norfolk & Washington company were aboard during the trial: Mr. John Callahan, vice-president and general manager; Mr. Daniel Callahan, general passenger agent and Mr. John Trower, chief engineer. General Manager W. A. Post was on board as representative of the builders.

The Jamestown will leave the shipyard for Washington tomorrow morning and should reach that city about 7 o'clock tomorrow evening. During the run up she will be commanded by Captain Melvin and manned by a crew of shipyard men.

The Jamestown is one of the finest vessels plying around Chesapeake bay and is as near fire proof as material and science can make her. She will be used as a day steamer between Washington, Old Point and Norfolk.

## SERGEANT WOODWARD HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM BULLET

Andrew Harris, a Negro, Fired Revolver Into Dawson City Saloon for Unknown Reason.

Detective Sergeant J. W. Woodward had a narrow escape from intercepting a bullet fired into Jim Dabney's saloon in Dawson City by Andrew Harris, a negro, yesterday afternoon. The officer was in the saloon at the time gathering evidence in a case, and for some unknown reason Harris fired through the door of the place. The ball passed near the officer, who upon hearing the shot hurried out of the saloon.

He reached the street in time to see Harris throw his gun against the building and run down the thoroughfare. Sergeant Woodward gave chase, overhauling the fugitive after a short run. After catching the negro, the officer returned to the front of the saloon and found the revolver. He then brought his prisoner to the police station, where he was entered upon the police docket charged with carrying concealed weapons and shooting on a public highway.

As the deed was committed in the county, Harris was turned over to the Bloodfield authorities. He was later bailed by Justice Jones with his father, Cornelius Harris, as his bondsman. The negro has retained Attorney J. D. G. Brown to represent him.

## MAYOR ASKED TO SPECIFY

Committee Wants His Recommendation Explained in Person.

## CASE OF EAST END FIRE COMPANY

In His Letter, Suggesting Reorganization, the Mayor Did Not Say Whether or Not He Meant Volunteers as Well as Paid Men.

Mayor Buxton's recommendation that the East End fire company be reorganized was considered by the fire department and water committees of the council last night. Because the mayor did not state in his communication whether or not he referred to both paid men and the volunteer company, the committee decided to hold a special meeting at some future date and ask the mayor to be present and explain his recommendation.

The mayor recommended the reorganization on account of the charges preferred by Engineer Stennett and Driver Gray against each other. The committee recommended the suspension of both Gray and Stennett, but the mayor thinks the action inadequate.

The committee disposed of a great deal of routine business and audited bills.

Meetings of the finance and ordinance and police committees were held last night and routine business was disposed of.

Alderman J. Winston Read, as vice-chairman, presided over the meeting of the finance committee and he presided as chairman over the fire department and water committee.

Mr. J. C. Wallace, recently elected to succeed Mr. J. E. Wilkins as a member of the common council, attended his first committee meeting last night, presiding as chairman of the ordinance and police committee.

## CHINAMAN ARRESTED FOR CONDUCTING GAMING HOUSE

White Youngsters Found "Shooting Craps" in Laundry by Police Officer.

Charged with conducting a gambling house, Sam Lung, a Chinaman, who runs a laundry at Twenty-third street, was arrested at his place of business last night by Detective Sergeant J. W. Woodward and Patrolman Pearson.

Prior to arresting the "chink," Sergeant Woodward found Edward Bryant, aged 17 years, and Edward Wall, aged 74 years, both white, indulging in a game of "craps" in the Chinaman's laundry, and as placed them under arrest it seems that when the officer entered the place Lung did a "hot foot."

After sending the boys to the police station, Sergeant Woodward, accompanied by Officer Pearson, returned to the laundry and arrested Lung, who had returned in the meantime.

The boys are charged with not being of good fame.

### SUED FOR DAMAGES.

Case of Taylor Against Railway Taken Up Yesterday.

The case of Taylor vs. the Newport News and Old Point Railway and Electric Company was taken up in the Corporation Court yesterday. All the evidence was heard yesterday, Mr. J. Winston Read opened the argument for the plaintiff and Mr. S. Gordon Cumming followed for the defense. This morning Mr. E. M. Braxton, for the defense, and Mr. C. Aylett Ashby, for the plaintiff, will speak.

The plaintiff in this case is a young lady who was injured by falling from a street car at the corner of Twenty-eighth street and Jefferson avenue. She claims to have been permanently injured and asks for \$5,000 damages.

### GROUND ON NOBSKA POINT.

Norwegian Steamer Avona Got of Course in Thick Weather.

News was received here yesterday of the grounding of the Norwegian steamer Avona, which sailed from Boston for this port Saturday, on Nobska Point, near Woods Hill, Mass., at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. A thick fog was on at the time and the grounding of the ship resulted.

Soon after striking bottom the vessel sent up distress signals and the tug John C. Chandler went to her assistance and succeeded in floating her at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

After getting into deep water again the Avona proceeded to this port and is expected to arrive here this morning. The vessel was apparently uninjured by the accident.

The Avona is under charter to load a cargo of coal at this port.

### CANDIDATE'S CARD.

At the most earnest solicitation of a number of friends I wish to announce myself a candidate for supervisor in Wythe Magisterial district in the election to be held in the fall of 1907. If my candidacy is favored by an election, I promise the voters of the district a faithful performance of the duties involving upon a supervisor.

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## Social-Personal

Mrs. Margaret Brown, of Colorado City, Col., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Welsh, on Twenty-fifth street.

Mrs. Sol Peyser will entertain the Wednesday Social club tomorrow afternoon at her home, 220 Thirtieth street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham Scott arrived in the city yesterday, after spending their honeymoon in the north, and are at home to their friends at the Hotel Warwick. Mrs. Scott was Miss Florence Watkins, of Lynchburg.

Prof. John Carroll Hudgins, professor of chemistry at the Boston School of Technology, arrived in the city yesterday to spend his vacation with his father.

Mr. Terrill Walker, formerly of this city, but now of Schenectady, N. Y., passed through this city yesterday on his way to Georgia, where he will spend several days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Taylor left Sunday for Lynchburg, where they will visit Mr. Taylor's parents.

The High school class of '04 will give a lunch party to Pine Beach this evening from 7 until 11 o'clock. Mrs. Wm. Roane Aylett gave a delightful dinner party at her residence on Thirty-first street last evening in honor of her guest, Miss Page Royall, of Richmond.

## THEATRICAL.

"What Happened to Bones," a rollicking farce comedy, was the bill at the Buckroe Casino last night and one of the largest crowds of the season laughed over amusing situations that "Bones" found himself in.

Miss May Hillman was seen in the leading female role.

During the interim between the acts moving pictures and illustrated songs added to the entertainment of those in the audience. The hoop-rolling of Mr. McKnight was a good attraction in itself.

Tonight "What Happened to Bones" will again be the attraction. A large black canvass was pitched at the bench yesterday and for the rest of the season there is to be moving pictures on all during the day and until midnight.

Manager Rex also closed contracts with four other attractions for the resort yesterday.

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